

### **REASONS FOR ALLOWANCE**

1. Claims 1, 3-6, 8-9, 11 are allowed.

The following is the Examiner's statement of reasons for allowance.

The prior art of record specifically Hower et al (U.S. patent 5,467,434) fails to suggest or disclose the collective features of the invention such as: "a resetting section for resetting the acquired print setting information in accordance with an instruction from the user if the printing is not agreed by the user, as indicated the input accepted by the confirmation message presentation section; and a print job creation section for creating the print job based on the acquired print setting information when the user agrees with the confirmation message and creating the print job based on the reset print setting information when the user does not agree with the confirmation message, and sending the created print job to the server" These features along with the rest of the claim's limitations would render the claims allowable.

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